

All-American rodeo finals to ride in Harrisburg

HARRISBURG — Four Pennsylvanians will be among many contestants from across the nation competing in the 1980 American Rodeo Finals, November 15 and 16 at the Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg.

The nation's top ten individuals from each rodeo division will compete for over \$35,000 in prizes in such events as bull riding, bareback and saddle bronc riding, steer wrestling, calf

roping, barrel racing and team roping competition.

During the two-day event, spectators will watch Joe Heller of Lewistown, Mifflin County, vie for top honors in the saddle bronc riding competition.

Another Pennsylvanian, Joe Crawford of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, will compete in the bull riding event, while Tammy Rhineer of Willow Street, Lancaster County, will be a

contender in the women's barrel racing competition.

Still another state resident, Harold Musselman of Dillsburg, York County, will compete in the calf roping event.

Scores compiled by each contestant during the two shows, held at 8 p.m. Saturday and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, will be averaged to decide the top four winners in each event.

This year's Miss Rodeo Pennsylvania will present

awards and prizes such as engraved saddles, gold and silver buckles, boots and hats to the winners. The all-around cowboy and all-around cowgirl will also be selected at the conclusion of the American Rodeo finals.

Tickets may be reserved by calling 717/238-2816, or purchased at the Farm Show Ticket gate Monday through Friday beginning November 5 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Ticket prices are: Box, \$6.50; reserved, \$5.50; and General

Admission, \$4.50. All seats for children under 12 are reduced one dollar.

The rodeo is sponsored by Champion Enterprises, Ltd.

in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Farm Products Show Commission and the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

York County crops show to run Tuesday

DOVER — The Dover Young Farmers will hold their third York County crops improvement show on Tuesday evening, November 11, beginning at 7 p.m. in the Dover High School cafeteria.

While the show originally began as a Young Farmer class event, it has generated such wide interest that advisor Bill Fleet turned the exhibit into a county wide educational competition.

Classes include a variety of crops: all cuttings of

clover, and timothy-clover mixtures; first and second cuttings of grasses with not more than ten percent legume content; all cuttings of alfalfa-grass mix and straight alfalfa hay; haylage; corn silage; high moisture shelled corn and ear corn; ear corn; and grains including rye, wheat, oats, barley and soybeans.

Sizes of entries are as follows: eight-inch section of bales; four quarts silage, haylage and high moisture

corn; ten ears of corn entries; four quarts small grains and soybean entries. A fifty-cent fee will be charged for each entry.

Grand champion winners in the various categories will receive plaques and ribbons will be presented to the first five places in each division.

Approximately 20 agribusinesses will set up exhibits at the show, with many company representatives expected to be on hand. A large variety of door

prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be provided.



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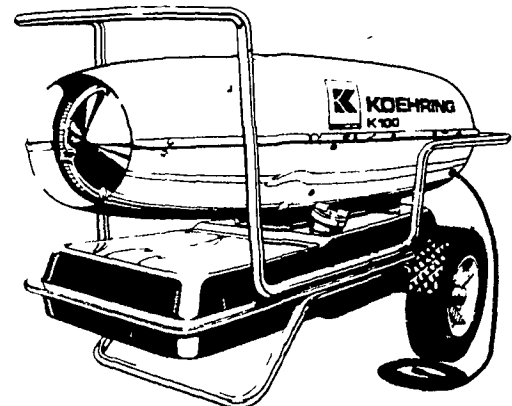
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